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VTA Construction Projects

Field Activity Report # 01 10 05*

Covering Monday, January 10, 2005 through Sunday, January 16, 2005

***Scheduled activities based on weather and conditions permitting.**

1996 Measure B Transportation Improvement Program

Route 237/I-880 Interchange Project

What: Nighttime closure of the westbound 237/Calaveras Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-880 for various activities.

Detour: Take westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard, turn left on McCarthy Boulevard, turn left on Tasman Drive to southbound I-880

When: January 10 through January 14, 2005, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.

What: Weekend closure of the westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-880. This closure is necessary to shift traffic onto the new braided westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-880.

Detour: Traffic will continue on westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard to McCarthy Boulevard, turn left on McCarthy Boulevard, turn left on Tasman Drive to southbound I-880.

Note: Once construction of the westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-880 is completed, the new braided ramp will open to traffic.

Due to the new ramp, the Tasman Drive/Great Mall Parkway off-ramp will no longer be accessible to traffic entering southbound I-880 from westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard. Signs will be posted to inform motorists of the changes.

To access Tasman Drive/Great Mall Parkway, traffic can either continue on westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard to McCarthy Boulevard, turn left on McCarthy Boulevard, turn left on Tasman Drive to southbound I-880 or exit Montague Expressway from southbound I-880.

When: Beginning 11:00 p.m. on Friday, January 14
Ending 5:00 a.m., Monday, January 17, 2005

What: Nighttime full freeway and lane closures on southbound I-880 between the eastbound Route 237 off-ramp and the Tasman Drive/Great Mall Parkway overcrossing for various activities.

Detour: Turn right at Calaveras Boulevard off-ramp onto westbound Route 237, turn left on McCarthy Boulevard off-ramp, turn left on Tasman Drive to southbound I-880.

When: January 9 through January 15, 2005

Various lane closures:

Sunday, January 9 through Friday, January 14

11 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.

Monday, January 10 through Saturday, January 15

4 a.m. to 5 a.m.

Full freeway closure:

Monday, January 10 through Saturday, January 15

Midnight to 4 a.m.

Daytime traffic will not be affected.

What: Nighttime closure of the eastbound Route 237 connector ramp to southbound I-880 to move safety barriers.

Detour: Exit McCarthy Boulevard, turn right on McCarthy Boulevard to Tasman Drive, turn left on Tasman Drive to southbound I-880

When: January 10 through January 14, 2005, midnight to 5:00 a.m.

What: Nighttime closure of the southbound I-880 off-ramp to Tasman Drive/Great Mall Parkway to move safety barriers.

Detour: Exit westbound Montague Expressway, turn right on McCarthy Boulevard, turn right on Tasman Drive

When: January 10 through January 14, 2005, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.

What: Nighttime closure of the Tasman Drive/Great Mall Parkway on-ramp to southbound I-880 for various activities.

Note:

This closure will not occur during full closure of:

- Southbound I-880
- Westbound Route 237/Calaveras Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-880
- Eastbound Route 237 connector to southbound I-880.

Detour: Take westbound Tasman Drive, turn left on McCarthy Boulevard, turn left on Montague Expressway, to southbound I-880

When: January 10 through January 14, 2005, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.

What: Daytime variable lane closures on the southbound I-880 off-ramp to Tasman Drive/Great Mall Parkway for various construction activities.

When: January 10 through January 13, 2005, 6:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

January 14, 2005, 6:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

What: Crews will excavate roadway, install electrical and drainage systems, remove falsework (temporary wooden frame that supports the weight of the bridge during construction) and construct a concrete barrier and slab. Traffic should not be affected.

When: January 10 through January 15, 2005, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Valley Transportation Plan (VTP) Projects

SVRTC—BART to Milpitas, San Jose and Santa Clara Project

What: Utility location and weed abatement work along Union Pacific Railroad right-of-way between Marburg Way in San Jose and Mission Boulevard in Fremont. No road or lane closures are associated with this work.

When: January 10 through January 14, 2005, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

What: Cone Penetration Testing (CPT) work on public streets within the City of San Jose. These tests typically require one-half day to complete and typically require the closure of one lane of traffic. Depending on the location of the test site within the roadway, parking restrictions may also be required. Multiple tests will be performed at sites south of The Alameda near Stockton Avenue and on or adjacent to Stockton Avenue between The Alameda and Interstate 880. Test crews will also be working on Santa Clara Street between Sixth and 27th Streets.

When: January 10 through January 14, 2005, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

What: Geotechnical test boring on public streets within the City of San Jose. Boreholes typically require two to three days to complete and typically require the closure of two lanes of traffic during work hours. At least one lane of through traffic in each direction will be maintained. Depending on the location of the borehole within the roadway, parking restrictions may also be required.

Test locations include:

- Stockton Avenue near Schiele Avenue
- Santa Clara Street, near 13th Street
- 19th Street, just south of Santa Clara Street

When: January 10 through January 16, 2005, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.